

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
ASHEVILLE DIVISION
1:09cv433**

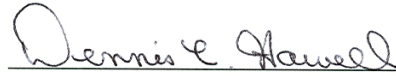
DONALD R. SMITH,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
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Vs.)	ORDER
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DAVOL, INC.; and C. R. BARD, INC.,)	
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Defendants.)	
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THIS MATTER is before the court on defendants' Motion for Stay. Having considered defendants' motion and reviewed the pleadings, and it appearing that this is a tag-along action to In re: Kugel Mesh Hernia Patch products Liability Litigation, No. 1:07-MDL-1842-ML (D.R.I.), the court enters the following Order.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that defendants' Motion for Stay (#4) is **GRANTED**, and this action and all deadlines, including the responsive pleading deadline, are **STAYED** pending transfer to In re: Kugel Mesh Hernia Patch products Liability Litigation, No. 1:07-MDL-1842-ML (D.R.I.).

Signed: February 16, 2010

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Dennis L. Howell", written over a horizontal line.

Dennis L. Howell
United States Magistrate Judge

